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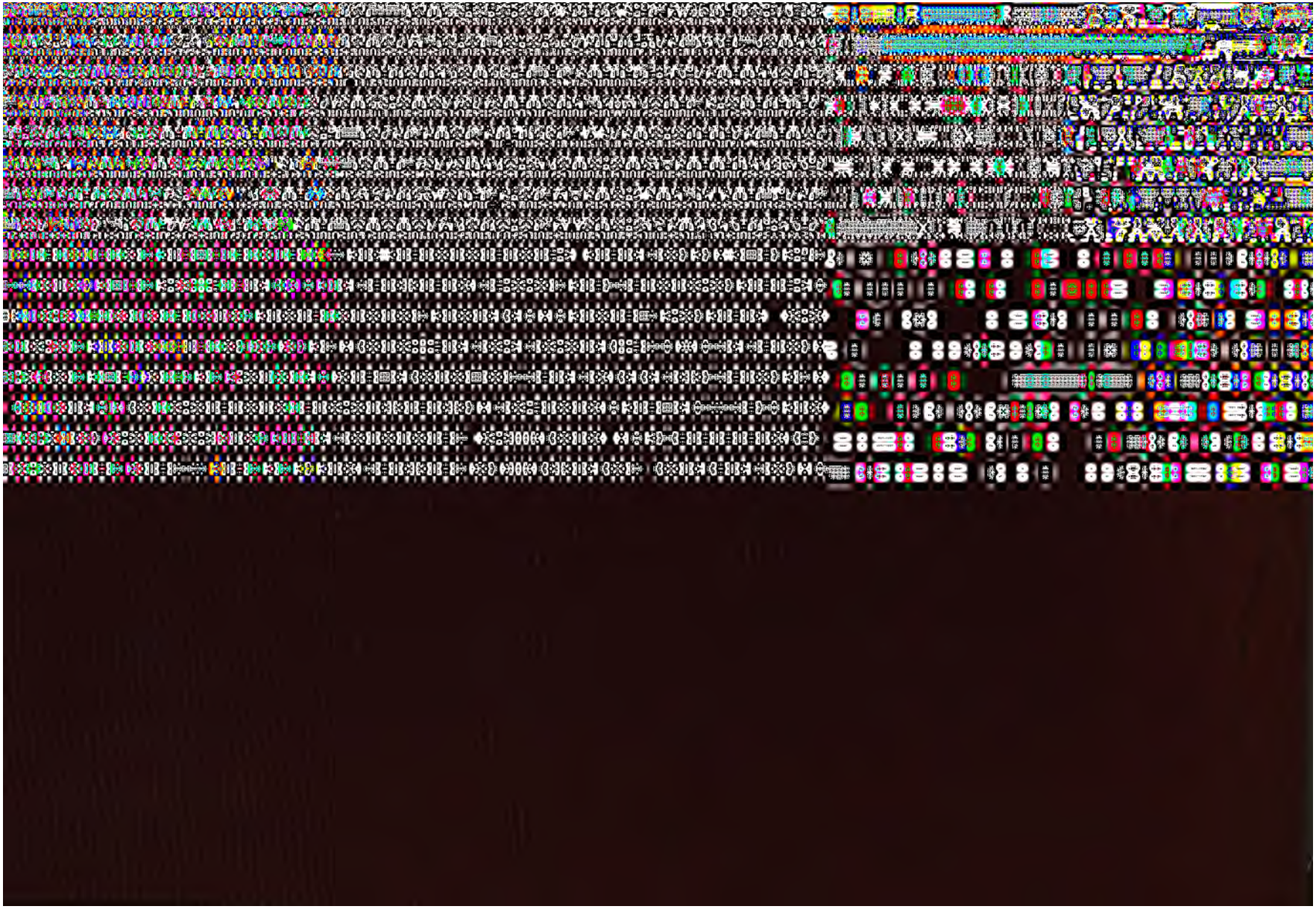

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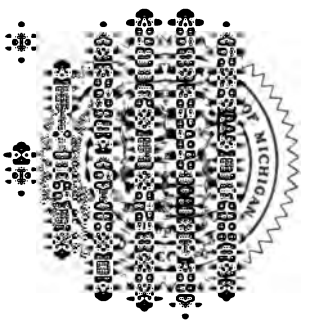

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Act No. 323, Public Acts 1913, provided for the publication of a list of books suitable for township libraries. In compliance with the act this compilation has been prepared by Miss Mabel C. True. The books included are suitable for high schools, though not obligatory. This list supplements the *Preferred List of Books for District Schools.* It has seemed best to repeat a few of the titles found in the former list.

Basis of Selection. In selecting these books three things have been taken into consideration: the contents of the book and its suitability; the literary value of the treatment; and the mechanical make-up of the book. This last point has influenced in the choice of editions.

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Bostwick, A. E. The American public library. 1910. Appleton..	**1.27**
Comprehensive survey of the public library movement in this country, describing its aims and tendencies, and presenting clearly and in some detail the movements, processes and problems that constitute "library science." Of special value to the student. A. L. A.	
Hopkins, F. M. Outlines for instruction of high school students in the use of the library. Detroit Central high school, Detroit, Mich.....Postage	**.04**
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Recommended for small libraries or grammar schools. Articles are very brief but up to date and simply written: system of cross reference is good. Good illustrations and good maps. Excellent indexes. A. L. A.

Beach, C. B., McMurray, F. M., eds. New students reference work for teachers, students and families. 5 v. 1912. Compton 17.78

Champlin, J. D. Young folks' cyclopedia of common things. 3d ed. 1906. Holt 2.00

A most valuable book for teaching the use of reference books. Covers about everything of use to boys and girls in natural science and the useful arts. N. Y.

Everyman encyclopedia. 1913-14. 12 v. (Everyman's library) Dutton 3.60

An excellent general cyclopedia. Contains biographies of living people.

New practical reference library. 6 v. Hanson-Bellows co. 21.75

Poorly bound and printed. Beach and McMurray's new students work for teachers preferable.

DICTIONARIES

Fernald, J. C. Concise standard dictionary; abr. from New standard dictionary. 1902. Funk ..... .50

Orthography, pronunciation and meaning of about 35000 words. The design has been to adequately meet the most recent demands for an up-to-date and convenient dictionary for handy desk and home use. Publisher's Notice.

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Phyfe, W. H. P. Eighteen thousand words often mispronounced; a carefully rev., greatly enl., and entirely rewritten ed. of "Twelve thousand words often mispronounced." 1914. Putnam 1.27

This work covers: difficulties in English pronunciation, proper names, and phrases from foreign languages.

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Webster's collegiate dictionary. 1910. Merriam 2.70

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Webster's secondary-school dictionary. 1913. Amer. bk. co.... 1.35

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Walter, F. K. Periodicals for the small public library. A. L. A. pub. board..... .10

An annotated list of 57 periodicals, suggested list of first magazines for a small library, and list of periodicals indexed in the abridged Poole's Index and supplement and in Reader's Guide.—A. L. A.

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SOCIOLOGY

Bryce, James. The American commonwealth. Abr. ed. for use in colleges and high schools. 1906. Macmillan..... 1.58

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Tables and statistics of world's discoveries, commerce, armies and navies, education, public service corporations, international bureaus and societies, U. S. government, manufactures, population and sciences.—KROEGER.

Macy, Jesse. Our government. Rev. ed. Ginn..... .63

A deservedly popular school book, tracing the derivation of the various factors in self-government and activities.—E. E. SPARKS.

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Index in front, also index of important subjects in former volumes which are not included in this one.

SCIENCE

Champlin, J. D. & Lucas, F. A., eds. Young folks' cyclopedia of natural history. 1905. Holt..... 2.00

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Mathews, F. S. Field book of American wild flowers. New ed., rev. and enl. 1912. Putnam 1.70

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Wilbur, M. A. Everyday business for women. 1910. Houghton .. 1.06

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Cram, G. F. Army and Navy edition of Cram's quick reference atlas and gazetteer of the world; ed. by Eugene Murray-Aaron. 1911. Cram ..... .85

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Seyffert, O. Dictionary of classical antiquities. 1908. Macmillan .90

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Tarr, R. S. & McMurry, F. M. Geographies. 2 v. 1910. Macmillan.

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Textbooks treating geography broadly. Structure of soil and physical features, influence of physical facts on colonization and industries. Fully illustrated and valuable as children's reference books in a general library. OREGON.

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Adams, O. F. Dictionary of American authors. 5th ed. 1904. Houghton..... 2.97

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A comprehensive, constructive treatment of the whole rural school situation, carefully planned and full of practical suggestions. Written for rural school teachers, administrators and normal school classes, it devotes much space to the everyday problems of the school-room, supervision, centralization and the relation of the school to the community. Good index and illustrations. Questions for discussion follow each chapter.—A. L. A.

Briggs, L. B. R. Girls and education. Houghton..... .85
Contents: To the girl who would cultivate herself—To school girls at graduation—To college girls—College teachers and college taught.

Brown, J. F. American high school. Macmillan..... 1.26
Discusses from the educator's standpoint its function, organization and management, curriculum, teaching force, material equipment and social life.—A. L. A.

Charters, W. W. Teaching the common branches. Houghton.... 1.14
Written primarily for rural schools, the book has a sound foundation in proper theory and works out reasons in a clear, sensible and practical way. Each subject is taken up separately, with reasons for teaching and some workable suggestions as to how. The last four chapters discuss general methods. References and questions at the ends of chapters and a general list of books for collateral reading. Good for reference and for teachers in both rural and graded schools.—A. L. A.

De Guimps, Roger, baron. Pestalozzi, his life and work. Appleton. 1.00
A readable and interesting biography, with list of works and bibliography. "Pestalozzi taught mainly by action. In him the most interesting thing is his life."—R. H. Quick.

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Earhart, L. B. Teaching children to study. (Riverside educational monographs) Houghton $0.32
A guide book for teachers and parents dealing with (1) the nature of logical study and its relation to textbook study; (2) the ability of children to learn to study logically and effectively; (3) methods of training children to study.—A. L. A.

Graves, F. P. A history of education in modern times. Macmillan .. .99
More attention is given to general educational movements than to individual reformers. Much emphasis is laid upon educational institutions and practice.

Hart, J. K., ed. Educational resources of village and rural communities. Macmillan ..... .90
Suggestive and by experts. Useful for rural survey.—A. L. A.

Johnson, G. E. Education by plays and games. Ginn ..... .81
Brief discussion of the meaning of play and of the history and place of play in education, and a suggestive course of plays and games, graded by age and analyzed to show the chief mental activities involved in and developed by them.—A. L. A.

Kern, O. J. Among country schools. Ginn 1.10
Vigorous plea for improved education in country districts, emphasizing the importance of the place of scientific agriculture.—A. L. A.

Knorr, G. W. Consolidated rural schools and the organization of a county system. (Experiment Stations Office. Bulletin 232) Supt. of docs. Paper ..... .15
A careful study of the organization of consolidated school districts which obtains in parts of thirty-two states. It discusses the advantages of the system in increased attendance, better supervision and teaching force, and decreased expense, and emphasizes the value of these districts as factors in the extension of agricultural education and in the social and business life of the community. A plan of county organization is advocated when feasible, as opposed to smaller units.—A. L. A.

Moral training in the public schools: the California prize essays, by C. E. Rugh, T. P. Stevenson, E. D. Starbuck, Frank Cramer, G. E. Myers. Ginn 1.10
A notable contribution to the discussion of moral education and allied problems, and simplicity of treatment makes it easy reading. —W. S. Monroe.

Palmer, G. H. Ethical and moral instruction in schools. (Riverside educ. monographs) Houghton ..... .32
Opposes direct teaching of ethical theory and argues in favor of indirect moral training secured by maintaining a high moral tone in all the activities of school life.—A. L. A.

Parkin, G. R. The Rhodes scholarships. Houghton 1.70
An account of the origin, conditions and management of these scholarships, prefaced by a sketch of Rhodes' life.—A. L. A.

Phelps, W. L. Teaching in school and college. Macmillan ..... .90
Contents: School-teaching and discipline—Private school-teaching and scholarship—Imagination in teaching—Efficiency of college teaching—Education and instruction—English composition—English pronunciation—Teaching English literature—Moral aspect of teaching.

Price

Slosson, E. E. Great American universities. Macmillan..... $2.12
Comparative study of the work of nine endowed and five state universities, defining differences clearly.—A. L. A.

Stevens, E. Y. Guide to the Montessori method. Stokes..... .85
Interpretation of the Montessori method for American mothers and teachers.

Talbot, Marion. The education of women. Univ. of Chic...... 1.10
Considers women's education in the light of her present-day social and economic function and suggests needed changes in the management and curricula of schools and colleges.—A. L. A.

Ward, E. J. The social center. Appleton..... 1.27
Mr. Ward believes in making the schoolhouse the social and civic center of the neighborhood. Mr. Ward is supervisor of the Social center development, Rochester, N. Y. and director of the Playground and public recreation association of America and knows the problem with which he deals from actual and pioneer experience in its solution.

Ward, F. E. The Montessori method and the American school. Macmillan..... 1.12
Miss Ward takes up the method from the practical aspect of its application to American school. She goes into the matter thoroughly, answering questions which every kindergartner and primary worker is asking. She makes connection between Montessori and the work of Dewey, Parker and other American educators. The many summaries, comparisons and questions make it suitable for normal work. Good annotated bibliography.—A. L. A.

Wilson, C. D. Working one's way through college and university. McClurg..... .85
Describes methods by which students (men and women) can support themselves while in college, and gives statistics and extensive lists of occupations, chiefly obtained from college employment bureaus. A great many individual cases are cited, with frequent quotations from published accounts or lives of well known men. Contains much good general advice, also considerable miscellaneous information about various colleges, as to expense and entrance requirements, etc., and sample examination papers for West Point and Annapolis.—A. L. A.

LEGENDS

For further references see List of books on Legends in Preferred list of books for district school libraries in the state of Michigan, p. 34-41.

Bulfinch, Thomas. Age of chivalry; or, Legends of King Arthur. McKay..... .84
Contains not only the legends of King Arthur and his knights and strange and marvelous tales from the famous Red Book of Hergest, but also stories of Richard the Lion-hearted, of Robin Hood the bold outlaw of Sherwood forest, and of Edward the Black Prince. —PITTSBURGH.

——— ——— (Everyman's library) Dutton..... .30

Price

Skinner, C. M. Myths and legends of our own land. 2v. Lippincott. $2.50
Contains the Indian legends of all the American tribes. v. 2 contains those of the tribes native to Michigan. Full table of contents.

MATHEMATICS

Smith, D. E. Teaching and study of elementary mathematics. (Teachers' professional library) Macmillan..... .90

Young, J. W. A. Teaching of mathematics in the elementary and secondary school. (American teachers' ser.) Longmans..... 1.35
Includes valuable bibliographies and lists of books for the teacher and the library.—MINN.

ASTRONOMY

Griffith, A. M. M. The stars and their stories. Holt..... 1.06
Contains the legends of the greater stars and the constellations. There are simple charts by which each star and constellation may be found. A short sketch of the history of astronomy is also given. There are a few very choice pictures.

Jacoby, Harold. Astronomy. Macmillan..... 2.12
Written to show the general reader the present state of astronomic science, or to give simple explanations of phenomena, and also as a textbook for high schools and colleges. It is readable, accurate, comprehensive and does not require much knowledge of mathematics. Explanations requiring mathematics are included in an appendix designed for the more serious student.—A. L. A.

Martin, Mrs. M. E. The friendly stars. Harper..... 1.06
Untechnical, entertaining descriptions of the 20 brightest stars and the great constellations, indicating their locations, colors, distances, movements, rising and setting. Makes identification with the naked eye easy.—A. L. A.

Newcomb, Simon. Astronomy for everybody. Doubleday..... 1.70
Authoritative, up to date and written in simple style without technical or mathematical language. Illustrated.—N. Y.

Serviss, G. P. The moon. Appleton..... 1.27
Easily readable text and exquisite photographs.—A. L. A.

ELECTRICITY. PHYSICS

Houston, E. J. Wonder book of light. Stokes..... 1.27
The nature and properties of light, instruments for special uses, etc., including chapters on color, x-rays and radioactivity, illumination, photography, rainbows, polarized light.—A. L. A.

———— Wonder book of magnetism. Stokes..... 1.27
Follows the same plan as the Wonder book of light, describing the mysterious force of magnetism and its uses.—A. L. A.

Verrill, A. H. Harper's wireless book; how to use wireless electricity in telegraphing and the transmission of power. (Harper's practical books) Harper..... .85

Price

A book for beginners, explaining clearly the principles, construction and operation of wireless telegraphy, telephony, and power transmission. Points out what has been accomplished in the past, what still remains to be done, and in what field the amateur may work without hindering the work of authorized operators.—A. L. A.

CHEMISTRY

Kahlenberg, Louis & Hart, E. B. Chemistry and its relation to daily life; a textbook for students of agriculture and home economics in secondary schools. Macmillan $1.12
Aim has been to make the subject-matter thoroughly practical and to present it in an interesting and simple way.—INTROD.

Smith, Alexander & Hall, E. H. Teaching of chemistry and physics in the secondary school. (American teachers' ser.) Longmans .. 1.35
This volume, really two books, as each of the authors treats his subject separately, takes a place at once, alone and without a rival in an important field. It is a manual of method written for teachers from the pedagogical point of view, yet full of the authority of specialists in the subjects treated. It shows the giant strides in the study of the physical sciences in our high schools during fifteen years. The book is written for trained and prepared teachers who know their subject and to all such it should be an indispensable handbook for constant reading and reference.—WYER.

PHYSICAL GEOGRAPHY. GEOLOGY. BIOLOGY

Clodd, Edward. Primer of evolution. Longmans ..... .50
Abridgement of his Story of creation, a condensed statement and a good general view of the theory of evolution.—LEYPOLDT & ILES.

Houston, E. J. Wonderbook of the atmosphere. Stokes 1.27
An interesting book about the familiar phenomena of the air. Contains a good deal of information that is not included in school books and is happy in getting at the young point of view.—A. L. A.

———— The wonderbook of volcanoes and earthquakes. Stokes 1.27
The interesting book on the subject that is written in a way to attract young people. Fairly well bound and reprinted; illustrated with mediocre halftones, wood-cuts, and a highly colored frontispiece.—A. L. A.

Jordan, D. S. & Kellogg, V. L. Evolution and animal life. Appleton. 2.12
Clear, readable discussion of the facts, processes and theories relating to organic evolution.—A. L. A.

Seeley, H. G. Story of the earth in past ages. (Library of useful stories) Appleton ..... .43

Shaler, N. S. Nature and man in America. Scribner 1.27
Shows how the physical development of the earth (climate, land and sea contours, etc.) has affected organic life and influenced man physically, socially and morally.—N. Y.

Tarr, R. S. Elementary geology. Macmillan 1.26
More stress is placed upon the dynamic aspect of the subject than is commonly given.—PREFACE.

Price

Ward, R. D. C. Climate, considered especially in relation to men. (Science ser.) Putnam $1.70
Interesting historical material and clear-cut and informing presentation of the facts of climate as now known.—EDUC. REV.

BOTANY AND GARDENING

Baker, Tarkington. Yard and garden. Bobbs 1.27
Good general, popular treatment of the planting and care of trees, shrubs, plants and vines in the small grounds of a town or city home.—A. L. A.

Coulter, J. M. Textbook of botany, for secondary schools. (Twentieth century textbooks) Appleton 1.08

Doubleday, Mrs. N. B. D. Nature's garden. Doubleday. Reprint 1.27
Excellent popular reference book on wild flowers; too large for field use. Groups by color, and as fragrant, unpleasantly scented, conspicuous in fruit. Points out relations with insects. Good photographic illustrations, many in color.—N. Y.

Ely, H. R. A woman's hardy garden. Macmillan 1.58
Management, selection of plants and their arrangement dwelt on with sufficient fullness to make it a safe guide for amateurs. Photographic illustrations have great value because dated.—NATION

——— ——— **Grosset** ..... .40

Harwood, W. S. New creations in plant life; an authoritative account of the life and work of Luther Burbank. Grosset .... .40
A clear statement of the methods by which Mr. Burbank has produced remarkable achievements in new varieties of plants, and plain directions for novices desiring to experiment in that line. Lacks index.—A. L. A.

Lounsberry, Alice. A guide to trees. Stokes 1.60
The necessary amount of scientific knowledge regarding trees is combined with an account of the character and recognized place each tree holds in sentiment and tradition. An attractive feature of the book is the great number of drawings and illustrations in color.

McFarland, J. H. Getting acquainted with the trees. (Macmillan's standard library) Macmillan ..... .40
Not scientific sketches, but popular.

Meier, W. H. D. School and home gardens. Ginn ..... .72
Contains compact and thorough directions concerning most of the plants which schools and homes require, including the care of trees, shrubs and vines and the work of grafting. The study, transplanting and cultivation of wild flowers are encouraged also. In style and illustration the book is a model, but its mature vocabulary and its assumption of a pretty complete knowledge of garden theory and practice unfit it for its intended use as a textbook in grammar grades. Condensed from the Nation.

Miller, L. K. Children's gardens. Appleton 1.02
The worthy purpose of this book is "the transforming of barren, dreary, ill-kept school grounds and other uncared for public places into bowers of beauty and good taste."—N. Y.

Price

Weed, C. M. Wild flower families. Lippincott $1.06
The haunts, characters and family relationships of the herbaceous wild flowers with suggestions for their identification.

ZOOLOGY

Bailey, Mrs. F. A. M. Birds of village and field; a bird book for beginners. Houghton 1.80
Descriptive color key, tables of migration of winter birds of aids to observations, bibliographies, etc. Illustrations by E. Thompson-Seton, L. A. Fuertes and J. L. Ridgway.—N. Y.

Burroughs, John. Bird stories from Burroughs: sketches of bird life taken from the works of John Burroughs. School edition. Houghton ..... .54
A chapter is given to each species of bird in this selection of the most interesting of his bird stories.—OREGON.

———— Birds and bees, Sharp eyes, and other papers. (Riverside literature ser.) Houghton ..... .54
A collection of his best nature essays. Charming in style, accurate in observation, and adapted to the understanding and vocabulary of a child.—OREGON.

Coupin, H. & Lea, John. The romance of animal arts and crafts. Lippincott 1.27
Apparently this is the first book upon a very unique subject. The subject title states that it is "an interesting account of the spinning, weaving, sewing, manufacturing of paper and pottery, aeronautics, raft building, road making and various other industries of wild life." Some of the interesting topics dealt with are suggested by the following page headings: The underground fortress —Robber crafts—The perfect incubator—Magpie fortifications—Cake making—The ant's pavilions—A ferocious infant—Parasol ants—Why a spider's aeroplane rises. There are about thirty illustrations.—AMER. INST. OF CHILD LIFE.

Hornaday, W. T. American natural history Scribner 2.93
Popular. Intended to bridge chasm between scientific zoology and the nature studies of grammar grades.—N. Y.
It is a bulky volume richly illustrated with photographs and packed full of facts. Mr. Hornaday's life has been spent among wild animals, as hunter, trapper, keeper, collector; and this in spite of the very scientific cast of the book, often gives it a personal, first-hand flavor hardly to be expected in a general natural history, even when limited to American fauna.—OREGON.

Ingersoll, Ernest. The wit of the wild. New ed. Dodd 1.12
A trained observer's popular and fairly conservative comments on the habits and characteristics of birds, insects and mammals.—N. Y.

Job, H. K. How to study birds. Outing 1.27
A sensible guide for beginners and an interesting volume for all bird-lovers. Gives detailed directions for distinguishing both families and individuals at different seasons of the year, and describes methods of study, note-taking and photographing. Excellent illustrations from author's photographs.—A. L. A.

Maeterlinck, Maurice. Life of the bee; tr. by Alfred Sutro. Dodd. 1.35
This might well be called the "Epic of the bee." The intention

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throughout is to compare the life, the intelligence and the destiny of the bee with those of man, and the beehive is used as a symbol of the whole mysterious working of nature.—PITTSBURGH.

Mathews, F. S. Field book of wild birds and their music. Putnam. $1.70
Despite its limitations, this is easily the best guide to bird song. Both descriptions and notations have been successfully put to test in the field, and it makes enjoyable reading for the bird-lover.—A. L. A.

Nuttall, Thomas. Popular handbook of the birds of the United States and Canada. Rev. ed. Little..... 2.50
Gives very full descriptions, has black and white and colored illustrations.—MINN.

Robinson, J. H. Our domestic birds. Ginn..... 1.21
An elementary study by an authority, intended for high-school pupils, but useful also for children of grammar school age and beginners in poultry keeping. A section on fowls is followed by chapters on ducks, geese, turkeys, guineas, peafowls, pheasants, swans, ostriches, pigeons, canaries, marketing and exhibitions.—A. L. A.

Trafton, G. H. Methods of attracting birds. Houghton..... 1.06
Contents: The need and value of attracting birds—Nesting houses—Attracting the winter birds—Drinking and bathing fountains—Planting trees, shrubs and vines—Bird protection in schools—Bird photography.

Verrill, A. H. Harper's book for young naturalists. (Harper's practical books) Harper..... 1.27
A guide to collecting and preparing specimens, with descriptions of the life, habits and haunts of birds, insects, plants, etc. Subtitle. A very complete useful book, but it has the danger of making boys too eager to collect birds specially, although the author warns them against taking any that they do not need "for serious study of a systematic collection."—A. L. A.

Weed, C. M. Life histories of American insects. (Standard school library) Macmillan..... .45
Non-technical, but accurate studies of a few of the most interesting insects.—OREGON.

ANIMAL STORIES

Roberts, C. G. D. Children of the wild. Macmillan..... 1.14
Interesting stories, many of which appeared in various magazines, told by Uncle Andy who is initiating his little nephew into the mysteries of the life of "children's of the wild." Similar to the author's other books. Will be read by children as well as by adults.—A. L. A.

——— The feet of the furtive. Macmillan..... 1.14
Sixteen interesting tales of wild life in the Canadian fastnesses or of the fight between isolated settlers and marauding animals. More of them are cast in story form than in earlier collections.—A. L. A.

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Vivid dramas of animal life beyond the range of ordinary observa-

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tion in forest and deep sea, the dominant note being the fierce struggle for existence among all living creatures.—N. Y.

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Seton, E. T. Lives of the hunted. Scribner..... 1.57
Krag the Kootenay ram, Johnny Bear, Tito the coyote, Randy the sparrow, Chink the pup, the kangaroo rat, the mother teal and the chickadee. Illustrated with over 200 drawings.—N. Y.

INVENTIONS. MACHINERY

Curtiss, G. H. & Post, Augustus. The Curtiss aviation book. Stokes.. 1.16
An account of the early aeroplane experiments, flights and achievements of Mr. Curtiss, with a description of his biplane and chapters discussing the future use and problems of the aeroplane, including its adaptability for military and naval use. Good photographs add to its interest.—A. L. A.

Ferris, Richard. How it flies; or, The conquest of the air. Nelson.. 1.00
Story of man's endeavors to fly and of the inventions by which he has succeeded.

Maule, H. E. Boy's book of new inventions. Doubleday..... 1.36
Published in 1912 and covers inventions of preceding ten years. Contents: The aeroplane—Aeroplane development—Aeroplanes today—Artificial lightning made and harnessed to motion pictures—Steel boiled like water and cut like paper—The Tesla turbine—The romance of concrete—The latest automobile engine—The wireless telegraph up to the minute—More marvels of science.—OREGON.

Verrill, A. H. Harper's aircraft book. (Harper's practical books for boys) Harper..... .85
A clear, elementary treatment for older boys of the principles of flight and the construction of model aeroplanes, gliders, and even man-carrying machines. Fully illustrated by diagrams and badly reproduced halftones.—A. L. A.

VOCATIONAL GUIDANCE

For further reference see List of books on Vocational guidance in Preferred list of books for district school libraries in the state of Michigan, p. 156-162.

Hyde, W. D. College man and college woman. Houghton..... 1.27
Chapters on Worth of the womanly ideal and Earnings of college graduates are excellent for vocational guidance. Discusses differences between natural vocations of men and women. For older students and prospective college attendants.

Laselle, M. A. & Wiley, Katherine. Vocations for girls. Houghton.. .72
A helpful and practical book of vocational preparation. The authors describe with detail and directness the opportunities, pleasant and unpleasant sides and requirements of employment in a dozen or more vocations, among them stenography and typewriting, salesmanship, telephone operating, working in manufacturing establishments, cooking, nursing, sewing, millinery, modern teaching and library work.

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McKeever, W. A. The industrial training of the boy. Macmillan.. $0.45
Discusses the subject of efficiency in fitting the boy for the making of a life success.

——— Training the girl. Macmillan..... 1.27
Purpose of the volume to offer a sort of "Whole-life" plan for girl training. Volume serves as a brief compendium of methods, devices and ideals for girl training.

Weaver, E. W. Vocations for girls. Barnes..... .67
General information and advice on specific vocations.

Women's educational and industrial union, Boston. Vocations for the trained woman. Introductory papers; ed. by A. F. Perkins. Women's educ. and indus. union..... 1.80
Practical consideration of fields of work other than teaching open to women, written largely by women workers in New England.—A. L. A.

HYGIENE. PHYSICAL TRAINING

Bancroft, J. H. School gymnastics with light apparatus. Heath.. 1.57
Gives exercises for apparatus for the second half of each school year, recommending free work for the correction of posture, and apparatus work for physiological results, cultivation of skill and for interest.

Call, A. P. Nerves and common sense. Little..... 1.06
Tells simply and practically how, by lessening the nervous resistance to little annoyances and obsessions, women may strengthen health and character. Self-help for nervous women (Lippincott, 1909, 201 p.) by Dr. J. K. Mitchell, a prominent nerve specialist, consists of short talks on economy in nervous expenditure, and indicates the limits beyond which self-help becomes futile and a physician necessary.—N. Y.

Galbraith, A. M. Personal hygiene and physical training for women. Saunders..... 1.70
Combines a good hygiene, mental and physical, and practical chapters of physical training. Training exercises are good and well illustrated.—A. L. A.

Gulick, L. H. Efficient life. Doubleday..... 1.02
Simple, practical suggestions for busy people about sleep, exercise, food, stimulants, aiming to increase the brain workers' general efficiency.—A. L. A.

Harrison, Eveleen. Home nursing. (Macmillan's standard library) Grosset..... .40
Simplest rules and remedies to be used in care of sick, some general directions regarding nourishment, and simple recipes for invalid cooking.—PREF.

Holt, L. E. Care and feeding of children. 5th ed. rev. Appleton.. .63
A standard work of high authority and value.—A. L. A.

Hutchinson, Woods. Common diseases. Houghton..... 1.27
A good companion volume to Preventable diseases presenting in very readable chapters many of the diseases and discomforts, real and imaginary, to which flesh is heir. The common sense, humor, sympathy and practical wisdom characteristic of the writer are in full evidence in such chapters as "The passing of pills and powders,"

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"The unwisdom of worry," "Imaginary diseases and their inventors" and "The prevention of old age."—A. L. A.

——— **A handbook of health. (Health ser., Book 2) Houghton..** $0.59
Interesting and popularly written book of physiology which may be used by adults or by children in the grammar grades.—OREGON.

——— **Preventable diseases. Houghton.....** 1.27
Popular articles, which describe the organization of the body and its defensive machinery, and consider specific diseases and their prevention.—A. L. A.

——— **We and our children. Doubleday.....** 1.02
Interesting chapters pertaining to the health of parents and children. The advice is not that of a nursery guide, nor is it perhaps to be followed implicitly, but it is sane and stimulating reading for any parent seriously interested in his child's welfare.—A. L. A.

Martin, H. N. Human body: an elementary textbook of anatomy, physiology and hygiene. (American sci. ser.: briefer course) Holt..... 1.12
A standard textbook of physiology.—OREGON.

Moody, C. S. Backwoods surgery and medicine. Outing..... .63
A little handbook for the woodsman, giving common sense treatment for wounds and accidents and remedies for camp diseases, and indicating the symptoms of the most probable ailments. Lists necessary supplies for the camper's medicine chest.—A. L. A.

Richards, E. H. Euthenics. Whitcomb..... .90
A most interesting book dealing with our city to make better conditions for the human race. Euthenics Mrs. Richards defines as "hygiene for the present generation." She shows how most sickness among children and most failures among men and women is caused by the neglect of conditions for which all of us are to blame and which, all together, we can remedy.

AGRICULTURE

GENERAL

American academy of political and social science. Country life. Academy..... 1.35
Very good. A symposium by well-known authorities on all phases of country life.

Bailey, L. H. Farm and garden rule-book. Macmillan..... 1.70
Manual of ready rules and reference, with receipts, precepts, formulas and tabular information for the use of the general farmer, gardeners, etc.

——— **The principles of agriculture. (Rural sci. ser.) Macmillan.....** 1.06
Contents: The soil—The plant and crops—The animals and stock—Suggestions to reading clubs and to teachers.

Fiske, G. W. Challenge of the country. Ass'n. press..... .65
Recommended by the Grange.

Gillette, J. M. Constructive rural sociology. Sturgis..... 1.36

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A book which aims to survey life in rural communities, to note tendencies and deficiencies and to point out ways of betterment in accordance with the best ideals of rural social life.

Halligan, J. E., ed. Fundamentals of agriculture. Heath..... $1.12
Compilation of high merit, dealing authoritatively with the underlying principles of agriculture in all its branches. Each subject is treated by an expert, usually a man connected with an experiment station or college of agriculture. The work is designed for students, and exercises and references for collateral reading are given. The appendix contains suggestions for an agricultural school library with brief bibliography, tables and index.—A. L. A.

Harwood, W. S. The new earth. Macmillan..... 1.58
In spite of bombastic style the book is interesting and gives much useful information about the development of agriculture and the aid that has been given by the government to promote it.—A. L. A.

——— ——— **Grosset**..... .40

Mann, A. R. Beginnings in agriculture. (Rural text-book ser.) Macmillan..... .68
Covers the whole field of agriculture in an interesting yet thorough manner. The illustrations are many and excellent.

Mayne, D. D. & Hatch, K. L. High school agriculture. Amer. bk. co..... .90
Contents: Elements of plant food—Soils and fertilizers—Agricultural botany—Economic plants—Plant diseases—Insects—Farm animals—Feeds and feeding—Farm managements. Designed to present in the first years of the secondary school course, the theory and practice of agriculture for all sections of the U. S. —MINN.

Rural manhood.....**Per yr.** .90
Published by the Rural dept. of the Y. M. C. A. at Ossining, N. Y., and excellent for all sorts of community work.

State grange lecturer's quarterly.....**Per yr.** .25
This is published at Ann Arbor and has monthly notes.

Streeter, J. W. The fat of the land; the story of an American farm. (Macmillan's standard library) Macmillan..... .40
Tells of a doctor, broken in health, who moves to the country and makes his farm pay. Entertaining and instructive.

U. S. Dept. of agriculture. Farmers' bulletins.....
Ask for those on farm management.

BEES

Lyon, D. E. How to keep bees for profit. (Macmillan's standard library) Macmillan..... .40
Points out various methods by which bee-keeping may be made more interesting and profitable. Tells novice how to start an apiary and care for it.

CHILDREN AND PLAY

McKeever, W. A. Farm boys and farm girls. Macmillan..... 1.27
Very good and suggestive. The author believes firmly that the

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best place for the farm-bred child is on the farm, but under the most improved rural conditions.

Scudder, M. T. Field day and play for country children. Published by the author at New Brunswick, N. J.....Paper $0.10
Recommended by the Grange.

Stern, R. B. Neighborhood entertainments. Sturgis..... .85
Has been popular since its publication and thoroughly practical.

CHURCH

Butterfield, K. H. Country church and rural problem. Univ. of Chic..... .90
Outlines the task of the church and the qualifications of its minister and discusses completely and hopefully the problems that arise in rural church work.

Gill, C. O. & Pinchot, Gifford. The country church. Macmillan.. 1.12
"The decline of its influence and its remedy."—Sub-title. Summarizes the results of the most thorough and systematic investigation of the country church yet made in this country.....Facts are given in some detail, largely by means of statistical tables and diagrams.....Judges the value of the country church exclusively from the point of view of its social service.—A. L. A.

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B. Study

This part of the requirement is intended as a natural and logical continuation of the student's earlier reading, with greater stress laid upon form and style, the exact meaning of words and phrases, and the understanding of allusions. The books provided for study are arranged in four groups, from each of which one selection is to be made.

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